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### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Denney

09/925,192

08/09/01

Group No.:

1642

Examiner:

C. Yaen

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# AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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Date: December 20, 2005

By: (4)

Sir or Madam:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

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Dated: December 20, 2005

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# **RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED OCTOBER 20, 2005**

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Dated: December 20, 2005

Sir:

The following communication is filed in response to the Office Action mailed October 20, 2005 with response due on or before December 20, 2005, in order to receive an Advisory Action.

Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.